Mountain Weather Forecast

Northwest Highlands

Including Sutherland, Ben Wyvis, Wester Ross, The Cuillin, Glen Affric, Glen Shiel and Knoydart
Forecast valid from 06:00 on Friday 18 Sep 2020 until 23:59 on Saturday 19 Sep 2020

Forecast Issued on Friday 18 Sep 2020 at 02:37 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High confidence for settled conditions over the coming days.

Headline for Friday 18 Sep 2020: Sunny and dry with light winds.

Mountain weather hazards on Friday 18 Sep 2020

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy Snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
Low Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
Medium Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Clear night	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Clear night	Clear night
Precipitation probability					
00%	<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%

Forecast for Friday 18 Sep 2020

Weather: Dry overnight with largely clear skies, perhaps the odd patch of mist or fog forming in sheltered glens but this soon clearing after dawn. A sunny start to the day with light winds, some patchy cloud pushing in from the north during the afternoon but still plenty of sunny spells. Feeling pleasantly warm. Misty low cloud may return to Caithness and Sutherland from mid-evening.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: High throughout the day.

Visibility: Very good.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1000	8/9 SW	6/7 SE	5/7 E	7/9 NE	9/12 NE	10/15 E	11/14 E
900	7/8 SW	4/6 SE	5/7 E	6/8 NE	8/12 NE	11/17 E	11/14 E
600	5/7 SW	3/4 SE	4/6 E	6/8 N	3/6 NE	7/13 E	9/13 E
300	0/4 W	2/4 E	4/6 E	3/8 NE	5/10 NE	7/14 E	7/12 E
Glen	2/3 NW	1/4 SE	2/4 W	2/4 SW	4/7 NE	8/13 NE	6/9 E

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1000	10/8	11/10	12/11	13/12	12/10	11/9	11/9
900	10/9	12/11	12/12	13/12	12/11	12/10	11/9
600	12/11	13/13	15/14	15/14	14/13	13/12	13/12
300	11/11	14/14	18/17	18/18	16/15	14/13	13/12
Glen	12/11	16/16	19/19	17/17	17/17	16/15	15/14
Freezing Level*	2600m	2700m	2800m	2900m	2900m	2900m	2800m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Nothing to add.

Forecast for Saturday 19 Sep 2020
Weather: Chance of some overnight mist and fog patches inland but again quick to clear. Another dry and sunny day although some mist low cloud may linger along coastal ranges.

Maximum wind: Southeasterly 5-10mph.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: Early cloud may affect hill tops at first but quickly lifting or clearing through the first half of the morning, then high chance for many inland ranges throughout the rest of the day.

Visibility: Very good. Misty over coastal ranges where low cloud lingers.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 10 rising to plus 17 Celsius.
At 800m: Plus 10 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above summits.

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